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to full membership Miss Maud Denni-  
son, the first woman to explore the  
mysteries of the order. The votes of  
10,000 men were necessary before this  
radical step could be taken, and all  
voted in the affirmative.

Last summer a strike was declared  
by the 299 men employed in the same  
shop with Miss Dennison. She went  
out with the men, did her share of  
patrol work, made speeches and gen-  
erally depicted herself as a model  
striker. This so won the admiration  
of the men that they will take her into  
full membership.

### PRINCE CHUN'S GIFTS.

Will Probably Be Sent to Certain Ger-  
man Museums.

Berlin, March 20.—The presents given  
to Emperor William by Prince  
Chun, who came from Peking to Ber-  
lin last year to make atonement to  
Germany for the murder at Peking of  
Baron von Ketteler, the German minis-  
ter to China, have been in storage  
since Emperor William refused to ac-  
cept them. The emperor took this ac-  
tion because he believed their accep-  
tance would be incompatible with the  
character of Prince Chun's mission.  
The presents, which consist of costly  
silks and objects of art will, upon the  
second request of the Chinese prince,  
be sent to certain German museums.

### Favors Aged Pensioners' Bill.

London, March 20.—The house of  
commons passed the second reading of  
the aged pensioners' bill granting de-  
serving poor persons a pension of  
from 5 to 7 shillings weekly at the  
age of 65. It is estimated that the sum  
of £10,000,000 will be required an-  
nually to pay the pensions, the nation-  
al exchequer and the local authorities  
each providing half the amount re-  
quired. As the government declares it  
cannot provide its share, the scheme  
is not likely to become effective.

### PROTOCOL COMPLETED.

Colombia's Proposition Will Be Hand-  
ed to Admiral Walker Soon.

Washington, March 20.—The revision  
of the protocol prepared by Dr.  
Silva, the retiring Colombian minister  
embodying the terms under which Col-  
ombia is willing to cede to the United  
States the rights incident to the build-  
ing of a Panama canal, has been com-  
pleted by Dr. Concha, the new minis-  
ter at Washington. It is stated that  
the protocol will be submitted to Ad-  
miral Walker, chairman of the isth-  
mian canal commission, before the  
end of the current week, to be by him  
turned over to Secretary Hay. It is  
stated that the protocol, as it now  
stands, does not differ very materially  
from what is was when about to be  
presented by Dr. Silva.

### TROUBLE IS ANTICIPATED.

The Porte Is Sending Troops to Mace-  
donia and Albania.

Vienna, March 20.—The Neues Wein-  
er Abendblatt says in its issue that  
serious trouble is anticipated in Mace-  
donia. The porte has ordered 35,000  
men to be sent to Macedonia and Al-  
bania, says this paper, and there  
seems to be no doubt that the agita-  
tion is the work of Boris Sarafoff, the  
former president of the Macedonian  
committee, who is using Miss Stone's  
ransom in his efforts. Sarafoff's  
bands, says The Abendblatt, are carry-  
ing on murder and incendiaries and  
are blackmailing the Bulgarian agri-  
cultural population of Macedonia.

You'll be awfully sorry if you buy a Bicy-  
cle before you see our

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### HOLLANDER'S OPINION.

Unwise to Force American Gold  
Standard on the Philippines.

Washington, March 20.—Jacob Hol-  
lander, former treasurer of Porto Rico,  
was before the insular committee of  
the house and gave his views regard-  
ing the proposed monetary bill for the  
Philippines. He said he did not be-  
lieve it would be wise to place the  
American gold standard in force at  
once in the Philippines—that is to the  
extent of making silver redeemable in  
gold.—He believed the change should  
be brought about gradually, something  
after the plan pursued by England in  
India. He expressed the opinion that  
under the present circumstances, while  
we are trying to win the confidence  
of the Filipinos, it would be unwise to  
attempt to force upon them the Ameri-  
can coinage system.

### Have Not Been Offered the Place.

Cleveland, March 20.—James R. Gar-  
field says that no tender of the civil  
service commissioners had been  
made either to him or his brother,  
Harry A. Garfield.

### Enlargement of Yellowstone Park.

Washington, March 20.—The secre-  
tary of the interior has sent to the sen-  
ate the draft of a bill providing for  
the enlargement of Yellowstone Park.  
In a communication accompanying the  
bill, he says the extension of the park  
boundaries is necessary to protect the  
game in the park.

### WOLCOTT MENTIONED.

Colorado Ex-Senator a Possible Suc-  
cessor to Secretary Hitchcock.

Washington, March 20.—The Post  
says: It is understood that ex-Senator  
Edward Oliver Wolcott of Denver,  
Colo., is being considered by the presi-  
dent as the possible successor of Sec-  
retary Hitchcock, who, it is under-  
stood, will soon retire from the cabi-  
net. Mr. Wolcott was seriously con-  
sidered for the interior portfolio at  
the time of Mr. McKinley's second  
inauguration, when it was thought  
probable Secretary Hitchcock would  
retire. At that time, it was also un-  
derstood, he was willing to accept the  
honor.

The death of the brother of Sec-  
retary Hitchcock on Tuesday has caused  
the rumors that the cabinet mem-  
ber from Missouri was to retire to be  
more persistent than for several days.  
It is believed the attention of the se-  
cretary will now be in demand at home  
in settling up his brother's estate.

### The Fair Estate to Be Distributed.

San Francisco, March 20.—The su-  
preme court of this state, in a de-  
cision handed down during the day de-  
clares the trust clause in the will of  
the late Senator James G. Fair invalid  
and the property will at once be dis-  
tributed among the children of the de-  
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striker. This so won the admiration  
of the men that they will take her into  
full membership.

### PRINCE CHUN'S GIFTS.

Will Probably Be Sent to Certain Ger-  
man Museums.

Berlin, March 20.—The presents given  
to Emperor William by Prince  
Chun, who came from Peking to Ber-  
lin last year to make atonement to  
Germany for the murder at Peking of  
Baron von Ketteler, the German minis-  
ter to China, have been in storage  
since Emperor William refused to ac-  
cept them. The emperor took this ac-  
tion because he believed their accep-  
tance would be incompatible with the  
character of Prince Chun's mission.  
The presents, which consist of costly  
silk and objects of art will, upon the  
second request of the Chinese prince,  
be sent to certain German museums.

### Favors Aged Pensioners' Bill.

London, March 20.—The house of  
commons passed the second reading of  
the aged pensioners' bill granting de-  
serving poor persons a pension of  
from 5 to 7 shillings weekly at the  
age of 65. It is estimated that the sum  
of £10,000,000 will be required an-  
nually to pay the pensions, the national  
exchequer and the local authorities  
each providing half the amount requir-  
ed. As the government declares it  
cannot provide its share, the scheme  
is not likely to become effective.

### PROTOCOL COMPLETED.

Colombia's Proposition Will Be Hand-  
ed to Admiral Walker Soon.

Washington, March 20.—The revis-  
ion of the protocol prepared by Dr.  
Silva, the retiring Colombian minister  
embodying the terms under which Col-  
ombia is willing to cede to the United  
States the rights incident to the build-  
ing of a Panama canal, has been com-  
pleted by Dr. Concha, the new minis-  
ter at Washington. It is stated that  
the protocol will be submitted to Ad-  
miral Walker, chairman of the isth-  
mian canal commission, before the  
end of the current week, to be by him  
turned over to Secretary Hay. It is  
stated that the protocol, as it now  
stands, does not differ very materially  
from what is was when about to be  
presented by Dr. Silva.

### TROUBLE IS ANTICIPATED.

The Porte is Sending Troops to Mac-  
edonia and Albania.

Vienna, March 20.—The Neues Wei-  
ner Abendblatt says in its issue that  
serious trouble is anticipated in Mac-  
edonia. The porte has ordered 35,000  
men to be sent to Macedonia and Al-  
bania, says this paper, and there  
seems to be no doubt that the agita-  
tion is the work of Boris Saraffoff,  
the former president of the Macedonian  
committee, who is using Miss Stone's  
ransom in his efforts. Saraffoff's  
bands, says The Abendblatt, are carry-  
ing on murder and incendiaries and  
are blackmailing the Bulgarian agri-  
cultural population of Macedonia.

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### HOLLANDER'S OPINION.

Unwise to Force American Gold  
Standard on the Philippines.

Washington, March 20.—Jacob Hol-  
lander, former treasurer of Porto Rico,  
was before the insular committee of  
the house and gave his views regard-  
ing the proposed monetary bill for the  
Philippines. He said he did not be-  
lieve it would be wise to place the  
American gold standard in force at  
once in the Philippines—that is to the  
extent of making silver redeemable in  
gold.—He believed the change should  
be brought about gradually, something  
after the plan pursued by England in  
India. He expressed the opinion that  
under the present circumstances, while  
we are trying to win the confidence  
of the Filipinos, it would be unwise  
to attempt to force upon them the Amer-  
ican coinage system.

Have Not Been Offered the Place.

Cleveland, March 20.—James R. Gar-  
field says that no tender of the civil  
service commissioners had been  
made either to him or his brother,  
Harry A. Garfield.

### Enlargement of Yellowstone Park.

Washington, March 20.—The secre-  
tary of the interior has sent to the sen-  
ate the draft of a bill providing for  
the enlargement of Yellowstone Park.  
In a communication accompanying the  
bill, he says the extension of the park  
boundaries is necessary to protect the  
game in the park.

### WOLCOTT MENTIONED.

Colorado Ex-Senator a Possible Suc-  
cessor to Secretary Hitchcock.

Washington, March 20.—The Post  
says: It is understood that ex-Senator  
Edward Oliver Wolcott of Denver,  
Colo., is being considered by the presi-  
dent as the possible successor of Sec-  
retary Hitchcock, who, it is under-  
stood, will soon retire from the cabi-  
net. Mr. Wolcott was seriously con-  
sidered for the interior portfolio at  
the time of Mr. McKinley's second  
inauguration, when it was thought  
probable Secretary Hitchcock would  
retire. At that time, it was also un-  
derstood, he was willing to accept the  
honor.

The death of the brother of Sec-  
retary Hitchcock on Tuesday has caused  
the rumors that the cabinet mem-  
ber from Missouri was to retire to be  
more persistent than for several days.  
It is believed the attention of the se-  
cretary will now be in demand at home  
in settling up his brother's estate.

### The Fair Estate to Be Distributed.

San Francisco, March 20.—The su-  
preme court of this state, in a de-  
cision handed down during the day de-  
clares the trust clause in the will of  
the late Senator James G. Fair invalid  
and the property will at once be dis-  
tributed among the children of the de-  
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Wm. Murray has returned from the Twin Cities and the east, where he has been selecting a line of dry goods, which he will now handle on one side of his grocery store.

The Rev. Victor Anderson and wife, of Chicago, have been assisting Rev. Clulow and wife in a series of evangelistic meetings in Motley for the past ten days. Large crowds attend their meetings and are delighted with Brother Clulow's preaching and their singing. There have been several conversions and many more are expected. They win their way to the hearts of the people, and then win the people to Christ. The official board of the M. E. church, of this city, have extended through their pastor an invitation to Brother and Sister Anderson to come and conduct a series of revival meetings here for about three weeks, beginning on the 15th of April. Mr. and Mrs. Clulow join with the official board in extending a cordial invitation to all to attend their meetings, which no doubt will be interesting.

## Neighborhood Gossip.

Prairie fires did considerable damage at Hankinson, N. D.

A New York society has been organized at Fergus Falls.

Golf is to be a popular game at Fargo again this summer.

C. H. Dill was elected exalted ruler of the Fargo lodge, B. P. O. E.

Wolves are getting in their work in great shape in some parts of North Dakota.

Last week the farmers in the vicinity of Anoka were dragging and plowing.

A commission has been appointed to draft a new charter for the city of Red Wing.

The trial of Frank Addy, charged with murder of the Gorton people at Litchfield, is on.

A rural telephone company has been organized out of Redwood Falls by the farmers.

There are now no smallpox cases at Mankato and the pest house has been closed for good.

Martin Sunseth, the farmer who was hurt in a drunken row at Halsted, died from his injuries.

The electric light system of Fergus Falls is having a vacation. A leak has been discovered at the dam.

Postmaster Esis, of Delano, is laid up with the smallpox and there is fear of a spread of the contagion.

Prof M. G. Hanson has resigned as president of the Red Wing seminary and will again take up ministerial work.

In the joint debate at Long Prairie between the high schools of that place and Park Rapids, the judges awarded the victory to the former.

Don't forget the social at the home of Mrs. D. K. Fullerton, Ninth St. north, tomorrow evening, March 21st. A good time is promised, lunch 15c.

The match billiard game for \$100 a side between Peterson, of Fargo, and Clow of Minneapolis, took place at Fargo. Peterson won the match, scoring 300 against 180 made by Clow. Peterson ran out in the thirty-ninth inning.

The Orange Medley will be given at the home of Mrs. C. B. White, Norwood street, on Wednesday, March 26th from 3 o'clock. A musical programme is promised. Gentlemen are invited. A sale of fancy and useful articles suitable for Easter gifts. Lunch 15c.

The many St. Cloud friends of A. W. Zahm will be pleased to learn that he has been appointed superintendent of the gas and electric plant at Mason City, Ia. Mr. Zahm was for a year superintendent of the Public Service company's plant in this city.—St. Cloud Times.

Mrs. Johanna Fladeland, of Battle Lake, Minn., swore out a warrant in Justice Cowling's court in Fergus Falls on Friday, charging her divorced husband, O. P. Fladeland, with having abducted their 8-year-old son. Mrs. Fladeland secured a divorce several months ago, her complaint alleging that her husband had committed crimes that were simply nauseating, and the court gave her the custody of the child.

## Special Kid Glove Sale.

This week we offer all our best warranted kid gloves, never sold less than \$1.25, also the best Mocha gloves, all shades only 98 cents at Moberg's.

## DEERWOOD.

The spring weather caught a severe cold on Sunday but has somewhat recovered at this writing.

P. K. Wetzel is the happy father of a fine new daughter, which arrived at his house a few days ago.

We know who Jacob is now. The proprietor of the Sandy Lake boarding house caught him at his work at last.

Jay McCarvill and Johnny Bates have entered into a new business. We wish them success in their new enterprise.

C. H. Adams is preparing to build another summer cottage to accommodate his growing trade for the coming season.

Mrs. C. J. Rathvon left on Friday for Duluth to visit her daughter, Mrs. Ten Brook, and call on old friends in the Zenith city.

Clarence Rudolph is putting an addition on his house at Sandy lake. Rathvon expects to start his saw mill on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Durand, who have a farm at Rabbit lake, have returned to Waterville, LeSeuer county, their old home, to spend the rest of their days.

The dog that came in from Ohio by freight on Tuesday is none the worse for the long journey and can be seen at the saw mill, where it will be kept for the present.

The informal meeting held at the school house on Saturday last to discuss the school house question resulted in a big majority in favor of building a new school house. The matter is still unsettled and will probably be voted on at a later date.

When C. J. Rathvon returned from Aitkin on Monday night's local he thought a locomotive had run off the track and stopped just in front of Mr. McCarvill's home by the smoke that met him, but when he got to the house he found a large box stove setting out there while the young people of Deerwood were enjoying themselves tripping the light fantastic toe.

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There was quite a bad runaway this morning. A team being driven by the Schwindeman brothers who live in the country, started to run from the Sixth street railroad crossing turning west on Main street and thence north on 4th street. At Bluff avenue they turned east again. One of the brothers was thrown out near the county jail but the other brother, who had just come from the hospital after being laid up with a broken leg, managed to hang on until Bluff avenue was reached when he too was thrown out. Neither of the brothers sustained serious injuries.

Wm. Murray has returned from the Twin Cities and the east, where he has been selecting a line of dry goods, which he will now handle on one side of his grocery store.

The Rev. Victor Anderson and wife, of Chicago, have been assisting Rev. Clulow and wife in a series of evangelistic meetings in Motley for the past ten days. Large crowds attend their meetings and are delighted with Brother Clulow's preaching and their singing. There have been several conversions and many more are expected. They win their way to the hearts of the people, and then win the people to Christ. The official board of the M. E. church, of this city, have extended through their pastor an invitation to Brother and Sister Anderson to come and conduct a series of revival meetings here for about three weeks, beginning on the 15th of April. Mr. and Mrs. Clulow join with the official board in extending a cordial invitation to all to attend their meetings, which no doubt will be interesting.

## Neighborhood Gossip.

Prairie fires did considerable damage at Hankinson, N. D.

A New York society has been organized at Fergus Falls.

Golf is to be a popular game at Fargo again this summer.

C. H. Dill was elected exalted ruler of the Fargo lodge, B. P. O. E.

Wolves are getting in their work in great shape in some parts of North Dakota.

Last week the farmers in the vicinity of Anoka were dragging and plowing.

A commission has been appointed to draft a new charter for the city of Red Wing.

The trial of Frank Addy, charged with murder of the Gorton people at Litchfield, is on.

A rural telephone company has been organized out of Redwood Falls by the farmers.

There are now no smallpox cases at Mankato and the pest house has been closed for good.

Martin Sunseth, the farmer who was hurt in a drunken row at Halsted, died from his injuries.

The electric light system of Fergus Falls is having a vacation. A leak has been discovered at the dam.

Postmaster Esis, of Delano, is laid up with the smallpox and there is fear of a spread of the contagion.

Prof M. G. Hanson has resigned as president of the Red Wing seminary and will again take up ministerial work.

In the joint debate at Long Prairie between the high schools of that place and Park Rapids, the judges awarded the victory to the former.

Don't forget the social at the home of Mrs. D. K. Fullerton, Ninth St. north, tomorrow evening, March 21st. A good time is promised, lunch 15c.

The match billiard game for \$100 a side between Peterson, of Fargo, and Clow of Minneapolis, took place at Fargo. Peterson won the match, scoring 300 against 180 made by Clow. Peterson ran out in the thirty-ninth inning.

The Orange Medley will be given at the home of Mrs. C. B. White, Norwood street, on Wednesday, March 26th from 3 o'clock. A musical programme is promised. Gentlemen are invited. A sale of fancy and useful articles suitable for Easter gifts. Lunch 15c.

The many St. Cloud friends of A. W. Zahm will be pleased to learn that he has been appointed superintendent of the gas and electric plant at Mason City, Ia. Mr. Zahm was for a year superintendent of the Public Service company's plant in this city.—St. Cloud Times.

Mrs. Johanna Fladeland, of Battle Lake, Minn., swore out a warrant in Justice Cowling's court in Fergus Falls on Friday, charging her divorced husband, O. P. Fladeland, with having abducted their 8-year-old son. Mrs. Fladeland secured a divorce several months ago, her complaint alleging that her husband had committed crimes that were simply nauseating, and the court gave her the custody of the child.

## Special Kid Glove Sale.

This week we offer all our best warranted kid gloves, never sold less than \$1.25, also the best Mocha gloves, all shades only 98 cents at Moberg's.

## DEERWOOD.

The spring weather caught a severe cold on Sunday but has somewhat recovered at this writing.

P. K. Wetzell is the happy father of a fine new daughter, which arrived at his house a few days ago.

We know who Jacob is now. The proprietor of the Sandy Lake boarding house caught him at his work at last.

Jav McCarvill and Johnny Bates have entered into a new business. We wish them success in their new enterprise.

C. H. Adams is preparing to build another summer cottage to accommodate his growing trade for the coming season.

Mrs. C. J. Rathvon left on Friday for Duluth to visit her daughter, Mrs. Ten Brook, and call on old friends in the Zenith city.

Clarence Rudolph is putting an addition on his house at Sandy lake. Rathvon expects to start his saw mill on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Durand, who have a farm at Rabbit lake, have returned to Waterville, LeSeuer county, their old home, to spend the rest of their days.

The dog that came in from Ohio by freight on Tuesday is none the worse for the long journey and can be seen at the saw mill, where it will be kept for the present.

The informal meeting held at the school house on Saturday last to discuss the school house question resulted in a big majority in favor of building a new school house. The matter is still unsettled and will probably be voted on at a later date.

When C. J. Rathvon returned from Aitkin on Monday night's local he thought a locomotive had run off the track and stopped just in front of Mr. McCarvill's home by the smoke that met him, but when he got to the house he found a large box stove setting out there while the young people of Deerwood were enjoying themselves tripping the light fantastic toe.

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From all over the country comes reports that rents are to be advanced, in many places they have already been shoved up several points. This imposes a hardship upon thousands. By doing so through the plan I am now offering the rent problem is solved for ever. Every dollar paid out goes into the home and thus back into the pocket of the purchaser instead of into the pocket of a landlord. Stop for a moment and think of what this means to those trying to get ahead in the world and then improve the first opportunity to see what you can do for yourself through the aid I can offer you. P. B. NETTLETON, Palace Hotel.

Knee pant suits for boys are selling at 1/2 price at Westfalls. Go and see them.

### WILL FIGHT THE ORDER.

Northern Pacific and Great Northern Companies Will not Accept Rates  
Made By Commission.

The order issued last week by the state railroad commission requiring the Great Northern and Northern Pacific to restore distributing tariffs to St. Cloud, Cookston, Fergus Falls, Moorhead, Brainerd and other towns in northern Minnesota will not be honored by the two railroad companies.

It is the intention of the railways to fight the case in the courts and ascertain whether the commission has the authority to issue such an order and compel a reduction of rates.

The main argument which the railway companies will use in fighting the order in the courts will be based on the contention that it costs the companies more money to handle terminal business at small towns than in and about the Twin cities.

Under distributing rates the railways are obliged to supply a car to the small towns having distributing rates and to have that car handled as a full car when it may be one-quarter filled. It is said that there is not a single firm out side of the Twin cities, in towns having distributing rates, which was known to fill a car at any one time.

Consequently, the railways have to haul partly filled cars.

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S. O. O'Berg Arrested at Hutchinson by Sheriff Hardy of Cass County.

### HE CASHED THE ORDER TWICE.

The Sheriff Got as Far as St. Paul With his Man When Bail Was Furnished.

Sheriff George Hardy has returned from Hutchinson, this state, where he went in quest of S. O. O'Berg, the young man who had charge of the bankrupt stock of E. P. Bacon, at Pillager last summer and fall. He located the young man and placed him under arrest charging him with defrauding the school board of Pillager.

It seems that O'Berg is charged with somehow getting a school order cashed twice and appropriating one payment on the order to his own use.

Sheriff Hardy brought him as far as St. Paul and while there O'Berg succeeded in securing bail and he was released. A hearing in the matter will be set for a date in the near future.

Dining car service on American railroads was first inaugurated in 1875. From the rudest beginning the facilities for cooking and serving on dining cars have so improved until today a meal equal to that served by any firstclass metropolitan hotel or cafe can be obtained in "diners" of first-class American roads. A "globe trotter" recently remarked to a Pioneer Press man that one of the most comfortable and delicious meals he had ever enjoyed was in a dining car between Milwaukee and Chicago on the Pioneer Limited train, of the Milwaukee road.

### MUSIC AND DRAMA.

#### "THE PRIDE OF JENNICO."

In presenting the great romantic success, 'The Pride of Jennico,' to the public, the managers, Munro and Sage, have spared no pains to make a production of the play that will prove entirely satisfactory to the theatre going public.

The play itself needs no praise, for its worth has been tried and proven. It ran for nearly a year in New York when produced there by Manager Daniel Frohman, and since then has been thoroughly tested on the road and never has it failed to win emphatic approval.

The scenery is all new and elaborate and is a complete reproduction of the original set used in the metropolitan run. The company is announced here for Saturday, April 5.

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#### POLLARD JUVENILE OPERA COMPANY.

The Pollard Juvenile Opera Company has been booked by Manager Walker for the Brainerd Opera House for Tuesday evening, April 10. Of this organization the San Francisco Chronicle has the following to say:

"The Pollard Juvenile Opera Company famous in Australia, which has appeared in many parts of the world, made their American debut at the Tivoli last night and scored a complete success. They presented 'The Belle of New York' in a way that fairly captivated the audience, and the American tour promises to be in the nature of a triumph."

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#### MC EWEN, THE HYPNOTIST

McEwen, the hypnotist, has been booked to appear at the Brainerd Opera House on the evenings of April 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18.

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#### "THE ELEVENTH HOUR."

Manager Walker has booked for April 19, Lincoln J. Carter's "The Eleventh Hour."

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"Men may come and men may go," but Richard Golden's "Old Jed Prouty" seems destined to go on forever, reflecting sunshine and happiness throughout all their wanderings. The reason for this success is not hard to find. The play possesses an unusual amount of heart's interest, and appeals largely to the better nature of its audience. The rugged honesty of the shrewd, yet generous old New England tavern keeper, and the thought that here we have one of God's noblemen, leaves an impression not soon forgotten, and the auditor comes along with a suggestion of older, maybe happier days, of honesty and strength, of home and tender hearts, of manliness and womanly worth, and something that appeals to the restful senses. As to "Dear Old Dick," he is as well known as his famous play.

The company comprises twenty people, the same as when starting out and we may say that it is one that is perfect, artistically and in its appointments. There seems to be but little doubt that this theatre will be well patronized during Mr. Golden's engagement, which will be given at the Brainerd Opera House Saturday night.

The sale of seats will open tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at H. P. Dunn & Co's drug store.

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Arbuckle's Lion and xxxx coffee **11c**

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The Brainerd high school basket ball team will play the Aitkin high school team at Gardner hall tomorrow evening, March 21. This game will decide the championship of the North Star Interscholastic Athletic League. Everybody ought to turn out and help the home team even up for what they lost in foot ball. Don't miss the last game of the season; game called at 8 o'clock sharp. Admission 25 cents.

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## DEFRAUDED THE SCHOOL BOARD

S. O. O'Berg Arrested at Hutchin-  
son by Sheriff Hardy of Cass  
County.

HE CASHED THE ORDER TWICE.

The Sheriff Got as Far as St. Paul  
With his Man When Bail  
Was Furnished.

Sheriff George Hardy has returned from Hutchinson, this state, where he went in quest of S. O. O'Berg, the young man who had charge of the bankrupt stock of E. P. Bacon, at Pillager last summer and fall. He located the young man and placed him under arrest charging him with defrauding the school board of Pillager.

It seems that O'Berg is charged with somehow getting a school order cashed twice and appropriating one payment on the order to his own use.

Sheriff Hardy brought him as far as St. Paul and while there O'Berg succeeded in securing bail and he was released. A hearing in the matter will be set for a date in the near future.

Dining car service on American railroads was first inaugurated in 1875. From the rudest beginning the facilities for cooking and serving on dining cars have so improved until today a meal equal to that served by any first class metropolitan hotel or cafe can be obtained in "diners" of first class American roads. A "globe trotter" recently remarked to a Pioneer Press man that one of the most comfortable and delicious meals he had ever enjoyed was in a dining car between Milwaukee and Chicago on the Pioneer Limited train, of the Milwaukee road.

## MUSIC AND DRAMA.

### "THE PRIDE OF JENNICO."

In presenting the great romantic success, 'The Pride of Jennico,' to the public, the managers, Munro and Sage, have spared no pains to make a production of the play that will prove entirely satisfactory to the theatre going public.

The play itself needs no praise, for its worth has been tried and proven. It ran for nearly a year in New York when produced there by Manager Daniel Frohman, and since then has been thoroughly tested on the road and never has it failed to win emphatic approval.

The scenery is all new and elaborate and is a complete reproduction of the original set used in the metropolitan run. The company is announced here for Saturday, April 5.

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### POLLARD JUVENILE OPERA COMPANY.

The Pollard Juvenile Opera Company has been booked by Manager Walker for the Brainerd Opera House for Tuesday evening, April 10. Of this organization the San Francisco Chronicle has the following to say:

"The Pollard Juvenile Opera Company famous in Australia, which has appeared in many parts of the world, made their American debut at the Tivoli last night and scored a complete success. They presented 'The Belle of New York' in a way that fairly captivated the audience, and the American tour promises to be in the nature of a triumph."

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### McEWEN, THE HYPNOTIST

McEwen, the hypnotist, has been booked to appear at the Brainerd Opera House on the evenings of April 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18.

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### "THE ELEVENTH HOUR."

Manager Walker has booked for April 19, Lincoln J. Carter's "The Eleventh Hour."

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### RICHARD GOLDEN IN "OLD JED PROUTY."

"Men may come and men may go," but Richard Golden's "Old Jed Prouty" seems destined to go on forever, reflecting sunshine and happiness throughout all their wanderings. The reason for this success is not hard to find. The play possesses an unusual amount of heart's interest, and appeals largely to the better nature of its audience. The rugged honesty of the shrewd, yet generous old New England tavern keeper, and the thought that here we have one of God's noblemen, leaves an impression not soon forgotten, and the auditor comes along with a suggestion of older, maybe happier days, of honesty and strength, of home and tender hearts, of manliness and womanly worth, and something that appeals to the restful senses. As to "Dear Old Dick," he is as well known as his famous play.

The company comprises twenty people, the same as when starting out and we may say that it is one that is perfect, artistically and in its appointments. There seems to be but little doubt that this theatre will be well patronized during Mr. Golden's engagement, which will be given at the Brainerd Opera House Saturday night.

The sale of seats will open tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at H. P. Dunn & Co's drug store.

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Purity Soda per 1 lb package..... **5c**

Gloss Starch per package..... **6c**

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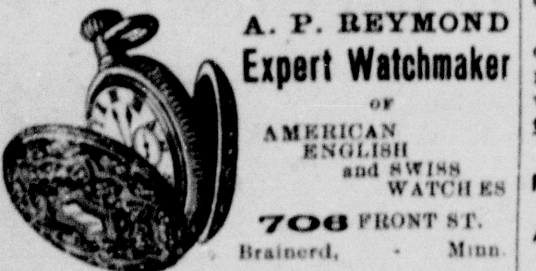
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9:00 a.m. Hubert	9:00 a.m. Hubert
9:30 a.m. Bailey	9:30 a.m. Bailey
10:00 a.m. Pequot	10:00 a.m. Pequot
10:30 a.m. Jenkins	10:30 a.m. Jenkins
11:00 a.m. Pine River	11:00 a.m. Pine River
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## CONJOINT DECLARATION

RUSSIA AND FRANCE SEND A NOTE TO THE OTHER GOVERNMENTS.

## REGARDING THE FAR EAST

Are Pleased to See That the Anglo-Japanese Convention Supports the Principles Which Constitute the Foundation of Their Policy—They Reserve the Right to Take Measures to Defend Their Own Interests.

St. Petersburg, March 20.—The Official Messenger prints the text of a Russo-French conjoint declaration, sent March 16 to the Austrian, Belgian, British, American, Spanish, German, Italian, Dutch, Chinese and Japanese governments. The declaration is as follows:

"The allied Russo-French governments are wholly pleased to discern that the Anglo-Japanese convention supports the essential principles which, according to the reiterated statement of France and Russia, constituted and still constitute the foundation of their policy. Both governments believe that the support of these principles is also a guarantee of their interests in the Far East. They were compelled, however, not to lose from view the possibly inimical action of other powers, or a repetition of disorders in China, possibly impairing China's integrity and free development to the detriment of their reciprocal interests. They therefore reserve to themselves the right to take measures to defend these interests."

The prefatory remarks say that Russia desires the maintenance of the status quo and the attainment of complete tranquillity in the Far East.

## MEETS WITH APPROVAL.

French Papers Comment on the Declaration With Much Satisfaction.

Paris, March 20.—The morning papers here comment with much satisfaction and approval upon the Franco-Russian declaration concerning the Anglo-Japanese convention, which they consider strengthens the chances of lasting peace in the Far East, as contributing to the establishment of the necessary balance of power, as a striking consecration of the dual alliance and a definition of its scope, field and objects.

"If," says The Figaro, "Germany and the United States have any misunderstanding regarding alliance and policy in China, or fears for the 'open door,' these are now removed. We are for the 'open door' on the condition that nobody attempts to close it on us."

The Gaulois thinks this declaration comes at an opportune moment to remind Great Britain that her treaty with Japan does not leave her such a free field as she seems to believe.

## RUSSIA NOT SO AGGRESSIVE.

American Note and Anglo-Japanese Protests Have Their Effect.

London, March 20.—Cabling from Peking, the correspondent of The Times says that since the presentation of the American note and the Anglo-Japanese protests, Russia's negotiations for the Russo-Chinese bank have been suspended, but that negotiations for the evacuation of Manchuria continue under modified Russian demands, which point to an ultimate settlement. These include, continues the correspondent, the withdrawal of Russia from between the great wall and Liao river within six months, from the province of Mukden within a year, and if the state of the country permits, from Kirin and Heilung Chang within 18 months after the signing of the convention.

## FRENCH RECIPROCITY TREATY.

Ratification of the Agreement Opposed by Senator Aldrich.

Washington, March 19.—The senate committee on foreign relations listened to an argument by Senator Aldrich in opposition to the ratification of the French reciprocity treaty. He took a very positive position against the French treaty, saying that in his opinion it was a pernicious agreement and calculated to work great injury. He said that in making the concessions provided for in that treaty the United States were securing only the low tariff rates of France, which are unconditionally granted to other countries, and which should be ours by right.

## WORST RAIN EVER KNOWN.

Eighty-four Inches Falls in a Week in Hankua, Hawaii.

Honolulu, March 12.—The district of Hankua, Hawaii, which suffered severely from drouth and forest fires last summer, has been visited by the severest rainstorm ever known there. It lasted from February 28 for a week. The rainfall was from 82 to 84 inches during the time. The roads were ruined, and great floods formed in some parts of the district. Cattle were carried away in the tremendous torrents which swept from the upper lands.

## Bryan Moves to His Farm.

Lincoln, Neb., March 20.—W. J. Bryan is no longer a resident of the city of Lincoln. Thursday was Mr. Bryan's 42d birthday, and he celebrated the event by moving to his farm, four miles from the city. Until a handsome country residence which he is building is completed, Mr. Bryan and his family will live in the barn.

## Sequel to a Tennessee Feud.

Knoxville, Tenn., March 20.—Policeman Thomas Howard was killed during the day by Joshua Jones and two brothers of Monroe county. This is another sequel to the Jones-Howard-McGhee feud of about three years' standing in Monroe county.

## MUST FINISH HIS TERM.

Prisoner Released From Illinois Penitentiary Taken to Wisconsin.

Springfield, Ills., March 20.—Warden McLaughrey of the Wisconsin state prison at Waupun, was in the city with a requisition of Governor Yates for the return to Wisconsin of Charles McCoy, alias Edward Ratigan.

Governor Yates honored the requisition. Ratigan is a safe cracker and was confined in the Waupun prison, but escaped. He came into Illinois, where he robbed the postoffice of Wapella, and was sentenced to two years at Chester. This term will end during the day and Warden McLaughrey will take him back to Waupun to serve out the remainder of his term there.

## THREE MORE ARRESTS.

The Mattie Bennett Gang at Beaumont Being Rounded Up.

Beaumont, Tex., March 20.—Three more arrests have been made here in connection with the operation of the Mattie Bennett gang of robbers and murderers. It is suspected that one of the three is the hackman employed by the gang to haul the bodies of their victims to the river. The sheriff refused to make known the names of the arrested men, who are whites, or to give any other facts, saying that publicity would hamper him in the arrests of other suspects. The trio just taken in has been sought by the officers constantly since the Bennett woman confessed a week ago.

## Another Nomination for Devaux.

Washington, March 20.—The president has decided to give another nomination to J. L. Devaux, the colored collector of customs at Savannah, Ga. A fight was made on Devaux by the "Lily White Republicans" of Georgia headed by Major J. F. Tanson of Macon, because they wanted the office for themselves. Devaux had no opposition from the white Republicans of Savannah, who were satisfied with his management of the office.

## First Train in Five Days.

Billings, Mon., March 20.—The first through train from the East arrived in Billings at 6 p. m. after having been tied up by the blizzard in North Dakota for about five days. The track west of Billings is clear and no further delays are anticipated.

## The Debate Was Featureless.

Washington, March 20.—The house made fair progress with the river and harbor bill. After the close of general debate, 27 of the 116 pages of the bill were disposed of. No amendments were adopted. The general debate was featureless.

## Continues Exclusion Law in Force.

Washington, March 20.—Senator Proctor introduced a bill continuing in force the present law for the exclusion of the Chinese until the expiration of the existing treaty with China or until a new treaty shall be negotiated.

## Rhodes Is Slightly Stronger.

Cape Town, March 20.—A bulletin issued at midnight said that Cecil Rhodes had taken nourishment, that he was slightly stronger and that at that time he was sleeping.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

President Zelaya has decreed the free entry into Nicaragua of the products of Guatemala and Salvador.

Fifty Russian and Polish students have been expelled from Prussian technical schools on charges of political agitation.

Robert Johnstone, one of the oldest actors in America, is dead at the hospital of the state soldiers' home at Bath, N. Y., aged 75 years.

It is practically settled that the Twenty-ninth infantry, now at San Francisco, will sail for the Philippines on the transport Sheridan about April 1.

The Serbian cabinet has tendered its resignation, owing to the adoption by the skupshtina (the national assembly) of a civil service reform measure, against the wishes of the ministry.

## MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.  
Minneapolis, March 19.—Wheat—May, 71½c; July, 73½c. On Track—No. 1 hard, 74½c; No. 1 Northern, 72½c; No. 2 Northern, 70½c.

Sioux City Live Stock.  
Sioux City, Ia., March 19.—Cattle—Beef, \$4.00@5.75; cows, bulls and mixed, \$2.50@4.75; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@4.40; yearlings and calves, \$2.50@4.25. Hogs—\$6.00@6.30.

Duluth Grain.  
Duluth, March 19.—Wheat—Cash, No. 1 hard, 74½c; No. 1 Northern, 73½c; No. 2 Northern, 69½c; No. 3 spring, 67½c. To Arrive—No. 1 hard, 74½c; No. 1 Northern, 71½c; May, 72½c; July, 73½c. Flax—Cash, \$1.73.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.  
St. Paul, March 19.—Cattle—Fancy butcher steers, \$5.75@6.10; fancy butcher cows and heifers, \$4.75@5.10; good to choice veals, \$4.50@5.25. Hogs—\$6.10@6.40. Sheep—Good to choice, \$4.50@5.40; lambs, 5.00@6.25.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.  
Chicago, March 19.—Cattle—Good to prime steers, \$6.50@7.10; poor to medium, \$4.25@5.40; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@5.25; cows and heifers, \$1.25@5.75; Texas steers, \$4.75@6.00. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, 6.10@6.55; good to choice heavy, \$6.40@6.60; rough heavy, \$6.10@6.35; light, \$6.00@6.30; bulk of sales, \$6.25@6.45. Sheep—Good to choice, \$4.75@5.50; lambs, \$4.00@6.60.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.  
Chicago, March 19.—Wheat—March, 72½c; May, 74½c; July, 74½c; Sept., 74½c. Corn—March, 59½c; May, 61½c; July, 60½c; Sept., 59½c. Dec., 48½c. Oats—March, 42½c; May, 43½c; July, 35½c; Sept., 29½c. Pork—March, \$15.27½; May, \$15.42½; July, \$15.62½. Flax—Cash Northern, \$1.72; Southwestern, \$1.68; May, \$1.71. Butter—Creameries, 18½c; 27c; dairies, 19@24c. Eggs—14½c. Poultry—Turkeys, 10@14½c; chickens, 10@11½c.

## IT MUST INCLUDE ALL

CHICAGO-KANSAS CITY ROADS WANT RESTRAINING ORDER TO BE GENERAL.

## ANYTHING ELSE DISASTROUS

The Eight Lines Interested Say That Should Injunctions Issue Against Them and Not the Other Lines They Could Not Meet Competition—Say They Will Fight if Any Discrimination Is Shown.

Chicago, March 20.—Attorneys representing the Kansas City-Chicago railroads and W. A. Day, representing the government, will hold a conference here with a view of reaching an understanding regarding certain phases of the proposed litigation seeking to secure an observance of the provisions of the interstate commerce act.

By agreement next Tuesday has been set as the day for hearing the petition at Kansas City before Judge John F. Phillips, and it is expected that before that time an understanding will be reached whereby the railroads will not actively oppose the granting of the injunctions sought.

Mr. Day is on his way to Chicago from Kansas City, and it is understood that he has consented to the conference. Officials say that provided the restraining orders shall be drawn in a manner acceptable to the railroads, and provided all lines both east and west of Kansas City are included, no opposition will be made to the litigation.

After further considering the situation the general councilors of the roads involved decided that injunctions against the eight railroads named in the bills would bring about a situation greatly to be deplored by the railroads. The Santa Fe and Rock Island, for example, extend west of Kansas City, the former controlling its rails to the Pacific coast. Should injunctions issue against them and not against the Union Pacific and other lines that extend west from Kansas City and southwest also, the result so far as the lines enjoined are concerned, would be disastrous.

It is asserted that such a condition would work an injustice against these roads, as it would preclude their meeting competition. Lines which do not extend to the Missouri river have decided to indorse this view of the case and join in insisting upon the government's filing bills against the following additional roads: Kansas City and Northern, Kansas City Northwest, Kansas City Southern, Leavenworth, Kansas City and Western, Missouri, Kansas and Texas, St. Joseph and Grand Island, St. Louis and San Francisco and Union Pacific.

Attorneys interested declare that they can see no reason why the government should refuse to include these roads, but if such is not the case, the present bills will be fought probably by the interposition of a demurrer. If they can possibly avoid so doing executive officials of some of the lines interested do not wish to be placed in the position of appearing in court and objecting to being restrained from doing what is admittedly illegal.

## BY TWO MAJORITY.

Danish Landsting Will Ratify Treaty for Sale of West Indies.

Copenhagen, March 20.—The Landsting, the upper house, in committee of the whole and in executive session has voted to ratify the treaty providing for the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States. After this action there will be two readings, one of which is to be in open session. The first of these readings will not take place before March 25. The opponents of the treaty are playing for delay, but the measure is now assured of a majority of two votes in favor of ratification.

The treaty's opponents held a meeting which was largely attended, several members of the landsting being present. Fresh proposals were submitted to start a direct Danish West Indies line of steamers and to establish large sugar plantations. The meeting subscribed 3,500,000 crowns for these enterprises. The object of the meeting was to influence the landsting's decision.

## PHILIPPINE DUTIES.

Secretary Root Orders Them Covered Into the Insular Treasury.

Washington, March 20.—Secretary Root has notified Acting Governor Wright that taxes and duties collected in the Philippine islands shall be covered directly into the Philippine treasury, and are subject to the orders of the Philippine authorities.

Nothing has yet been determined upon with respect to the handling and transfer of the duties and taxes collected in the United States on articles imported from the islands. The law provides that all these taxes and duties are to be paid into the Philippine treasury for the use and benefit of the islands.

## Agree to Fuse in Nebraska.

Lincoln, Neb., March 20.—The state central committees of the Democrats and Populists met here to decide on the time and place for the state convention, but decided to delegate power to their respective chairmen. The question of fusion was discussed in executive session, and while no binding action was taken there was a tacit agreement that the two parties would fuse on a state ticket.

## Glad Edward's Visit Is Cancelled.

London, March 20.—In a dispatch from Cannes, the correspondent of the Daily Mail says he thinks the French government is greatly relieved that King Edward's visit to France has been cancelled, as Boer agents in that country were busy organizing demonstrations against his majesty.

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No. 54, Duluth Freight	2:10 a. m.	2:50 a. m.
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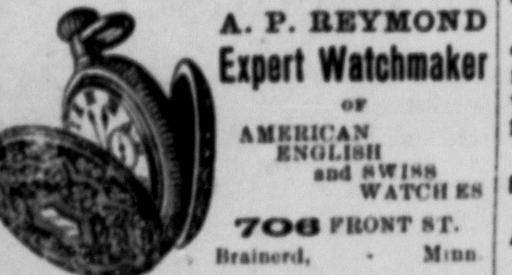
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## CONJOINT DECLARATION

RUSSIA AND FRANCE SEND A NOTE TO THE OTHER GOVERNMENTS.

### REGARDING THE FAR EAST

Are Pleased to See That the Anglo-Japanese Convention Supports the Principles Which Constitute the Foundation of Their Policy—They Reserve the Right to Take Measures to Defend Their Own Interests.

St. Petersburg, March 20.—The Official Messenger prints the text of a Russo-French conjoint declaration, sent March 16 to the Austrian, Belgian, British, American, Spanish, German, Italian, Dutch, Chinese and Japanese governments. The declaration is as follows:

"The allied Russo-French governments are wholly pleased to discern that the Anglo-Japanese convention supports the essential principles which, according to the reiterated statement of France and Russia, constituted and still constitute the foundation of their policy. Both governments believe that the support of these principles is also a guarantee of their interests in the Far East. They were compelled, however, not to lose from view the possibly inimical action of other powers, or a repetition of disorders in China, possibly impairing China's integrity and free development to the detriment of their reciprocal interests. They therefore reserve to themselves the right to take measures to defend these interests."

The prefatory remarks say that Russia desires the maintenance of the status quo and the attainment of complete tranquility in the Far East.

### MEETS WITH APPROVAL.

French Papers Comment on the Declaration With Much Satisfaction.

Paris, March 20.—The morning papers here comment with much satisfaction and approval upon the Franco-Russian declaration concerning the Anglo-Japanese convention, which they consider strengthens the chances of lasting peace in the Far East, as contributing to the establishment of the necessary balance of power, as a striking consecration of the dual alliance and a definition of its scope, field and objects.

"It," says The Figaro, "Germany and the United States have any misunderstanding regarding alliance and policy in China, or fears for the 'open door,' these are now removed. We are for the 'open door' on the condition that nobody attempts to close it on us."

The Gaulois thinks this declaration comes at an opportune moment to remind Great Britain that her treaty with Japan does not leave her such a free field as she seems to believe.

### RUSSIA NOT SO AGGRESSIVE.

American Note and Anglo-Japanese Protests Have Their Effect.

London, March 20.—Cabling from Peking, the correspondent of The Times says that since the presentation of the American note and the Anglo-Japanese protests, Russia's negotiations for the evacuation of Manchuria continue under modified Russian demands, which point to an ultimate settlement. These include, continues the correspondent, the withdrawal of Russia from between the great wall and Liao river within six months, from the province of Mukden within a year, and if the state of the country permits, from Kirin and Heilung Chang within 18 months after the signing of the convention.

### FRENCH RECIPROCITY TREATY.

Ratification of the Agreement Opposed by Senator Aldrich.

Washington, March 19.—The senate committee on foreign relations listened to an argument by Senator Aldrich in opposition to the ratification of the French reciprocity treaty. He took a very positive position against the French treaty, saying that in his opinion it was a pernicious agreement and calculated to work great injury. He said that in making the concessions provided for in that treaty the United States were securing only the low tariff rates of France, which are unconditionally granted to other countries, and which should be ours by right.

### WORST RAIN EVER KNOWN.

Eighty-four Inches Falls in a Week in Hankua, Hawaii.

Honolulu, March 12.—The district of Hankua, Hawaii, which suffered severely from drouth and forest fires last summer, has been visited by the severest rainstorm ever known there. It lasted from February 28 for a week. The rainfall was from 82 to 84 inches during the time. The roads were ruined, and great floods formed in some parts of the district. Cattle were carried away in the tremendous torrents which swept from the upper lands.

### Bryan Moves to His Farm.

Lincoln, Neb., March 20.—W. J. Bryan is no longer a resident of the city of Lincoln. Thursday was Mr. Bryan's 42d birthday, and he celebrated the event by moving to his farm, four miles from the city. Until a handsome country residence which he is building is completed, Mr. Bryan and his family will live in the barn.

### Sequel to a Tennessee Feud.

Knoxville, Tenn., March 20.—Policeman Thomas Howard was killed during the day by Joshua Jones and two brothers of Monroe county. This is another sequel to the Jones-Howard-McGhee feud of about three years' standing in Monroe county.

## MUST FINISH HIS TERM.

Prisoner Released From Illinois Penitentiary Taken to Wisconsin.

Springfield, Ills., March 20.—Warden McLaughrey of the Wisconsin state prison at Waupun, was in the city with a requisition of Governor Yates for the return to Wisconsin of Charles McCoy, alias Edward Ratigan.

Governor Yates honored the requisition. Ratigan is a safe cracker and was confined in the Waupun prison, where he robbed the postoffice of Wapella, and was sentenced to two years at Chester. This term will end during the day and Warden McLaughrey will take him back to Waupun to serve out the remainder of his term there.

### THREE MORE ARRESTS.

The Mattie Bennett Gang at Beaumont Being Rounded Up.

Beaumont, Tex., March 20.—Three more arrests have been made here in connection with the operation of the Mattie Bennett gang of robbers and murderers. It is suspected that one of the three is the hackman employed by the gang to haul the bodies of their victims to the river. The sheriff refused to make known the names of the arrested men, who are whites, or to give any other facts, saying that publicity would hamper him in the arrests of other suspects. The trio just taken in has been sought by the officers constantly since the Bennett woman confessed a week ago.

### Another Nomination for Devaux.

Washington, March 20.—The president has decided to give another nomination to J. L. Devaux, the colored collector of customs at Savannah, Ga. A fight was made on Devaux by the "Lily White Republicans" of Georgia headed by Major J. F. Tanson of Macon, because they wanted the office for themselves. Devaux had no opposition from the white Republicans of Savannah, who were satisfied with his management of the office.

### First Train in Five Days.

Billings, Mon., March 20.—The first through train from the East arrived in Billings at 6 p. m. after having been tied up by the blizzard in North Dakota for about five days. The track west of Billings is clear and no further delays are anticipated.

### The Debate Was Featureless.

Washington, March 20.—The house made fair progress with the river and harbor bill. After the close of general debate, 27 of the 116 pages of the bill were disposed of. No amendments were adopted. The general debate was featureless.

### Continues Exclusion Law in Force.

Washington, March 20.—Senator Proctor introduced a bill continuing in force the present law for the exclusion of the Chinese until the expiration of the existing treaty with China or until a new treaty shall be negotiated.

### Rhodes Is Slightly Stronger.

Cape Town, March 20.—A bulletin issued at midnight said that Cecil Rhodes had taken nourishment, that he was slightly stronger and that at that time he was sleeping.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

President Zelaya has decreed the free entry into Nicaragua of the products of Guatemala and Salvador.

Fifty Russian and Polish students have been expelled from Prussian technical schools on charges of political agitation.

Robert Johnstone, one of the oldest actors